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Hon. Kenneth M. Karas United States District Court 300 Quarropas Street White Plains, New York 10601

re: *United States v. Kinyon (Dante McNair)*, 16-cr-666 (KMK) U.S. Court of Appeals Dkt. No. 20-520

Dear Judge Karas:

I have been appointed by the United States Court of Appeals for the Second Circuit to represent Mr. McNair in his appeal from this court's denial (in orders entered by endorsement on December 23, 2019 and January 13, 2020), of his *pro se* motion to modify his sentence.

This letter is a request that the Court provide me with a copy of the Statement of Reasons issued in accordance with Fed. R. Crim. P. 32(h) in connection with Mr. McNair's sentencing. I have filed a brief pursuant to *Anders v. California*, 386 U.S. 738, 744 (1967). The Second Circuit's instructions for *Anders* briefs require that counsel file the statement of reasons in a case involving imposition of a sentence constituting a variance from the United States Sentencing Commission guidelines, as is the case with Mr. McNair, who recevied a below-guideline sentence.

Very truly yours,

/s/ Theodore S. Green Theodore S. Green

cc: All counsel (by ECF)